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SUPERIOR COURT ADJUDICATES IMPORTANT COAL LAND CLAIM

Case of All-Round Suing Results in First Owner Paying Damages

PIKE RUN MAN OWNS TRACT

In opinions just handed down by the superior court at Philadelphia the lower court was affirmed in three cases appealed to the higher court. One important case affirmed is that of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal & Coke against James E. Hines surviving executor of the estate of Isaac W. Richards, deceased. In this action the jury in common pleas court awarded the plaintiff company $1,241.93

The facts in the case were out of the ordinary. On May 28, 1887, Isaac W. Richards owned a tract of land in West Pike Run township near Dunlevy from which he conveyed one acre to William Lundy, reserving however all the coal underlying the parcel. Under the deed to Lundy there was no question raised but what William Lundy was entitled to the support of his surface from the owner of the coal reserved, when it was mined out. On March 1, 1892 Mr. Richards sold the Pittsburg or river vein of coal to the New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Co., including the coal under the Lundy lot. The deed contained a guaranty clause, protecting the purchaser from any claim for surface damages.

The New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Co. conveyed a part of the coal to the Monongahela R. C. & C. Co., and this company conveyed it to the Vesta Coal Co. The Vesta company mined out the coal, including coal from under the Lundy lot. The surface subsided and Mr. Lundy came on the Vesta company for damages. He received $850.20. The Vesta Co., in defending the action spent $250. The Vesta Co., then proceeded against the river combine and got a verdict of $1,100.20 which with interest accrued thereon, brought the sum up to $1,182.78. The river combine then looked to the estate of Isaac Richards, under the guaranty clause, for recompense. A verdict was secured. From this judgment the Richards estate appealed. The superior court affirms the judgment secured by the river company.

A farm, probably worth $100,000 in Smith township, near Burgettstown is involved in the Bailey appeal, which is dismissed by the appelate court. In the estate of Mary E. Bailey, late of Burgettstown, F. Rea Bailey appealed from the report of the auditor, which report had been sustained by the lower court. The question involved was whether or not F. Rea Bailey had a life interest or a fee simple interest in the farm of Mary E. Bailey, containing 138 acres and 120 perches. The auditor held that F. Rea Bailey only had a life interest. Upon his death the farm will go to his children. The farm is located right opposite the plant of the American Zinc & Chemical Co., in Smith township township and is surrounded by a section that is rapidly building up. For that reason the farm is a very valuable one.

Miss Esther Berryman has returned to her home at Library after visiting for several days with friends in Charleroi.

INTEREST OF MUSIC LOVERS CENTERED IN BAND CONCERT

Nirella Coming Tomorrow to Eldora Park—Will Give Four Patriotic Recitals

Interest of music lovers is centered tomorrow in the appearance at Eldora park of Joseph Nirella and his band of Pittsburg This famous organization of musicians will appear in two afternoon and two evening concerts of a patriotic nature. The late will be one of the biggest of the season at the park and it has been extensively advertised all along the Monongahela valley, the result of which it is expected will be the bringing together of one of the largest crowds of the summer at the park.

$250 FOR COAL AT FORCED SALE

W. Harry Brown Pays High Figure for Acreage in Greene County

SHERIFF RECEIVES THE CHECK

That Greene county coal selling at a sacrifice sheriff's sale brought $250 an acre in Cumberland township of that county is the interesting news Fayette and Washington county holders of coal land are discussing. Cumberland township coal has been held at from $500 to $650 an acre and is generally regarded as a good field for investment purposes.

W. Harry Brown of Pittsburg, the purchaser, secured in all 101 acres for which he paid $25,000. Sheriff George M. Weimer has just received a certified check for the amount.

The coal purchased represents one-seventh interest in four tracts. The tracts included 223 acres formerly owned by J. Edgar Baily; 119 acres formerly owned by Johnson Stewart; 111 acres formerly owned by Joseph Stewart and 249 acres formerly owned by F. A. Hart.

Cumberland county coal at the 1915 assessment was valued at $110 an acre. The appraisers for J. V. Thompson, who were Julian Kennedy, Pittsburg; R. C. Crawford, McKeesport, and R. M. Hite, Fairmont, fixed theactual value of the acreage there at $750. The Thompson holdings in Cumberland township amount to 22,088 acres according to a recent estimate.

The coal sale was regarded with unusual interest because of the parallel it furnished to the Thompson receivership case which was argued this Tuesday in the Fayette county court. Attorneys for Mr. Thompson hold that if his immense real estate possessions are thrown under the sheriff's hammer the property will be sacrificed at a tremendous loss.

Theda Bara Monday Coyle Theatre in "The Serpent." 30-t2

TWENTY-FIVE BATHERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Strong River Current and Swirling Water From Towboat Draw Californians Into Danger—Young Men Make Rescues.

Caught in a strong river current twenty-five bathers at California beach narrowly escaped drowning Friday afternoon, and in fact, eye witnesses say, a horrible tragedy was prevented only by the presence of mind and courage of a few young men.

Backwater from a tow boat at the Vesta tipple carried the bathers out into the current the river being swollen and running strong.

Air cushions were thrown to the swimmers and many thrilling rescues were accomplished. One young man brought in two children at the same time and [illegible] rescued after going down for the first time. By the time all were out of the water, the rescuers and rescued were exhausted.

Today a movement is under way for the installation of safety devices at the beach.

WELL KNOWN FAYETTE CITY RESIDENT DIES

Henry Knight, Father of R. G. Knight Of Charleroi Expires From Dropsical Attack—Survived by His Widow, Two Sons and Daughter

Henry Knight, aged 72 years, for many years a resident of Fayette City, died at 5 o'clock this morning in the Charleroi-Monessen hospital from a three weeks' illness of dropsy. He was a widely known resident of the river section of Fayette county.

Mr. Knight lived nearly all his life in Fayette City and Perryopolis, from where he moved 22 years ago. For a number of years he has lived a retired life.

Two sons and one daughter, with his widow survive. The sons are R. G. Knight of Charleroi and J. E. Knight of Williamsport. Mrs. Mary Witchell of Fayette City is the surviving daughter.

The funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Fayette City, conducted by Rev. George S. Hackett, D. D. of the Fayette City Presbyterian church. Interment will be in the Mount Auburn cemetery.

THEDA BARA TO APPEAR MONDAY AT THE COYLE

The big feature at the Coyle theatre Monday will be the appearance of the noted Theda Bara in the William Fox drama, "The Serpent," produced by R. A. Walsh. In this unusual attraction Theda Bara is at her best as Vania, a beautiful Russian peasant girl. She assumes the role of a hater of men, whom she makes her victims ending in bringing the Prince to death by suicide.

Lieutenant Furlong in Charge

Wireless telephone communication between ships for transmission or orders in movements at sea has been developed in the Atlantic fleet in the maneuvers off Guantanamo. The instruments are being operated on the battleships Wyoming and Texas. Lieut. W. Rea Furlong, fleet radio officer, has been placed in charge of the work. Successful wireless telephone experiments already have been conducted by the Navy Department between the Arlington radio station and San Francisco. Signals have been exchanged with Paris.

TEACHERS WILL TAKE CERTIFICATE EXAMS

August 3 and 4 Dates Set For Examinations to be Conducted at Washington High School Building For The Third District.

An examination for permanent state teachers' certificates will be held August 3 and 4 in the Washington high school building by the examining board for the Third district composed of Washington and Greene counties. This examination is open to teachers who have held professional certificates for two years or longer and who have certificates of good moral character and success in teaching from the proper superintendents and boards of directors for two terms. The permanent state certificates allows the holder to teach in any school in the state. The examining board of this district is composed of Roscoe C. Mitchell, Aleppo, president; R. G. Dean, Monongahela, secretary and W. L. Moore, McDonald.

Each application must be signed by the applicant, the proper school board and the superintendent and a valid professional certificate must accompany each application.

Assistant County Superintendent H. S. Kuder of Peters township, has been appointed a member of the examining board for permanent state teachers' certificates for the Fourth district, composed of Beaver county.

FIRST CHRISTIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL TO HOLD OUTING

Arrangements are under way for the annual Bible school picnic of the First Christian church to be held next Thursday at Oakland park. Two special cars will leave Lock No. 4 at 9:10 o'clock and leave the church at 9:15 a. m. and another car will leave the church at 10:15. A committee on sports is preparing a program of events for the occasion. A ball game and races will be features

CLASSES OF 1912-13 HAVE REUNION FRIDAY

A reunion of the classes of 1912-13 of the Charleroi high school was held at Oakland park Friday evening. Ten members of the classes and their friends were present. At 8:30 a picnic supper was served.

FOREIGNER WITH $1,151 ON PERSON MAY BE WANTED MAN

MUCH DRILLING THE FATE OF STATE TROOPERS NOW IN CAMP

Earl Wagner Writes Home of the Routine Company A Goes Through Daily—Rise Early in Morning

In a letter written to a friend here, Earle Wagner of Company A, Tenth Regiment tells something of the routine the Company goes through at Fort Bliss, where now the command is located. He says: "We get up at 5:30; mess at 6, drill from 7 until 10:30, mess at 12:30, drill from 2 to 4:30 and mess at 6:30. Then usually we go into El Paso for the evening. We are just about four miles out from there."

ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO KILL MOTHER

Newell Young Man Charged With Having Tried to Cut Her Throat

REMANDED TO COUNTY JAIL

Charged with an attempt to slash his mother's throat while she lay sleeping on a couch, Duncan Wilson, aged 24, of Newell was remanded to the county jail at Uniontown Thursday evening. Wilson is a cripple, having had both legs cut off in a railroad accident some years ago.

Wilson recently returned from a two weeks' visit in Ambrige with his brother. He asked his mother to move there but she refused. Tuesday she went to sleep on a couch. While dozing she felt something cold at her neck and sensed the approach of someone. Opening her eyes and reaching out with her hands she told the justice she discovered her son with a knife in his hand about to slash her throat.

Young Wilson according to Justice of the Peace Charles O. Downer, threatened to kill himself in the same way.

"THAT SORT" ATTRACTION AT MAJESTIC THEATRE

The picture being presented at the Majestic theatre today is "That Sort." Ward Howard and Duncan McRae are appearing in the leading roles. The story is a highly dramatic one of a mother who hides her identity from her daughter to save her from shame. Monday Lillian Walker, the famous screen beauty, will be shown in "The Man Behind the Curtain."

POLLOCK NAMED SECRETARY OF REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

W. S. Lockhart, chairman of the Republican county organization announced the following appointments yesterday:

Secretary, Harry E. Pollock; assistant secretaries, Clyde S. Pipes, Ray B. Drum and Robert Burnside.

Investigations Being Made Into Story Told by Another With Whom He Fought

WEAVER KILLING MENTIONED

Arrested Friday night on a common charge of fighting, Joe Ready of McKean avenue is being held on a charge of felonious cutting preferred before Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice by Mike Zamiska, and meanwhile investigations are being made into the killing of a foreigner four or five years ago at Weaver. Zamiska tells a story that implicates Ready in the Weaver affair, charging that Ready had remarked to him on different occasions that the officers had the wrong man. Coroner James T. Heffran came here this morning to begin the probe into Zamiska's story.

The murder story came as the climax to a series of events. A drunken fight was staged at 718 McKean avenue, the home of both Ready and Zamiska, Friday night at about 9 o'clock it seems. Zamiska clouted Ready over the forehead with a board he says and Ready slashed his back twice with a penknife. The police arrested them, but not until later did news of Zamiska's injury become known.

At the lockup Ready was being thrust uncermoniously into his cell when he reached suddenly for his hip pocket. Fearing he would pull a knife, Policeman Gus Brickner seized him, then extracted a roll of bills and change from his pocket totaling $1,151. In the roll were 57 twenty dollar bills, one $10 bill and about one dollar in change.

Zamiska this morning divulged information to the effect that Ready on different occasions had mentioned something about a man being sent to the penitentiary for killing a man at Weaver, suggesting that he was the one who had done the deed. The story is that the Weaver man was killed when he was stabbel and the knife blade broken off. Coroner Heffran has recollection of such a killing and will look up his files while investigations are continued.

WASHINGTON TENNIS CLUB WINNER AT CHARLEROI

The West Beau Street Tennis club team of Washington, won four out of five matches here Friday afternoon from the Charleroi Tennis club players. Splendid playing featured all the contests. The Charleroi net men will play in Washington August 1. The scores Friday follow: Wickerham defeated Gaut 6-3, 1-6, 6-2; Hatfield defeated Dr. McKay, 6-0, 5-7, 6-4; Boles defeated Milliken 6-2, 6-4; Pawelson lost to Booth 6-3, 4-6, 5-7; in the doubles Wickerham and Boles defeated Hayes and Milliken 6-1, 6-3.

The last set in the doubles was spoiled on account of rain.

BIG CROWD PRESENT AT MALTA OUTING

Today is the annual date of the Malta picnic which is being held at Kennywood park and hundreds from along the Monongahela valley are in attendance. A number went from Charleroi this morning by automobile and train. Various drills are being featured.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Bush, Cashier

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WHAT IS COMING

The publisher is up against it good and hard if things continue and radical action may be necessary to save him, as evidenced by the following from an exchange:

With raw newsprint selling at $100 a ton, it looks as though the one cent daily newspaper is about a thing of the past. Publishers have been hard hit by the war prices which have soared beyond all expectations and there must soon be some relief, or many publishers over the country will have to either look for another source of revenue or suspend publication. Much of the raw material that before the war was used to make paper, now goes to war munition factories and is used to load shells. The paper mills are up against it for raw material and there is every indication that the climax has not been reached. The following was sent out yesterday by Secretary Redfield:

"The one cent newspaper will be a thing of the past within a short time. Prices have increased all along the lines on nearly all commodities and within the last few months there has been a steady increase in the price of the materials entering into the making of news print paper and an increased demand for paper.

"The indications are that early this fall, when new contracts are made, publishers will be unable to get out one cent papers without a loss and an increase is price will be imperative.

"From information which has reached me, I am of the opinion that advertising r ates will have to be increased also—as it appears that the increased cost of paper cannot be made up alone by the increase in price of the newspaper."

ARMY MULE STILL NEEDED

One result of the punitive expidition in Mexico is that so far as the United States army is concerned the mule is shown to be a necessity in a military organization operating in a mountainous country. Four years ago is was predicted that as a result of experiments made in the southwest the army mule would probably be displaced by motor trucks, and there is no question as to the superiority of the latter everywhere that a wheeled vehicle can be used, says the Beaver Times.

But occasionally an enemy like Villa or Geronimo will persist in seeking fastness where neither automobiles nor wagons can be operated. It is then that the mule becomes a necessity for the transportation of supplies. Hardy, resourceful and a prime forager, the records show that on the mountain marches in Mexico the mule has thrived fairly well while carrying heavy loads of food and amunition behind the cavalry colomns, and has stood the strain much better than the horse.

ANOTHER DREAM SHATTERED

Every time that some particularly good story is started some hard hearted individual with a passion for facts has to go and puncture the romance. The latest instance is the yarn about nickles being worth six cents a piece because of the advance in the metals fro mwhich nickels are coined. It was figured that if the entire output of coined nickles could be cornered the genius who pulled the stunt would make millions of dollars. But it's all off, says the Uniontown Herald.

The facts have come to light through the announcement of Dr. A. A. Norris, of the United States mint at Philadelphia. He dissipates the dreams of easily garnered wealth through grabbing nickles, melting them and selling the metal at $6 a pound. All the nickle and copper in a pound of jitneys would bring only 33 cents in the metal markets of the country today.

Copper for coins is now worth 28 cents a pound. Nickle is sold for 48 cents a pound. Only one-quarter of a pound of nickle and three-quarters of a pound of copper are used to make a pound of nickles which amounts to 100 jitneys, or 400 cents, netting the government a profit of about $4.05.

Two hundred ten gallons of water, according to the Tri Cities Water company, is the allowance per meter on the minimum rate. That sounds big, yet through leaks it is quite often overrun. Controling leaks is all important in our water system; that, and having meters properly adjusted. With a great variety of figures the water company proves what waste will accomplish. Simply stated they show that waste creates heavy bills and so do crazy meters. It is penny wise to watch matters and pound foolish to not. It pays to call the doctor of pipes and meters when they get sick.

Sprinkling the streets in warm weather allievates distress about as quickly as anything could. If you don't believe it, take a litle walk after a rain and note results. The street department can do a lot but it can not do all in the way of sprinkling. Private citizens may do a lot. All they need is a garden hose and a spigot to which to attach it. The effort is worth while.

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Today
Essanay presents
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A woman torn by mother love hides her identity from her daughter rather than have her share her parents later shame. The story of a woman's great renunciation.

MONDAY
LILLIAN (DIMPLES) WALKER
in
"THE MAN BEHIND THE CURTAIN"

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What we call a hardship is the lot of a girl who is invited to bring a male friend to a party when she has no one she feels willing to ask and her brother is with the army.

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The average girl used to wear what then was termed a riot of colors. Now it would be two riots and a police call.

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The man who can't look wise and say nothing when somebody remarks he must be getting $150 a week doesn't deserve to be earning that much a month.

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To feel cool, just consider the lot of the poor Scandinavian.

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Poor Lo, the Indian of two centuries ago could go swimming in summer but he was never equipped to go skating in winter.

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Outside of location there really isn't very much difference between arranging a Sunday school picnic and a high school field meet.

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Sad.

Oh, shed your tears
For Mrs. Gawk;
She has a cold
And cannot talk.
—Luke McLuke

We weep to think
Of Lydia Rose;
A pimple's coming
On her nose.
—Columbia State

And heave a sigh
For Lilla Belle;
Her new shoes hurt
Her corns like everything.
—Macon (Ga. Telegraph.

We shudder too
For Mrs. Chowder,
Who lost her only
Box of powder.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

A traveling man visited a small town in the central part of the state last week and as he walked up the main street from the train early in the morning he met an old man coming out of a building. The old man had the unmistakable air of a person who had been sitting up all night toying with the fickle pasteboards, and losing.

"How'd they come, judge?" asked the traveling man.

"They come punk," replied the old man seriously. "Lost $18,500 last night."

"Great Guns!"

"Yes," continued the old man, "and the worst part of the thing was that $7.50 of it was spot cash."

"It is always polite to change the conversation after any unpleasant remark," explained father, kindly, as the family sat round the breakfast table.

That evening he returned home to find that several of his pet flower beds had been raised, while tiny footprints pointed to the culprit.

"Mabel," he said sternly to his fourteen year old daughter, "did you pick my flowers?"

"Oh, daddy, was there a monkey in there today?" came the prompt reply. "We had a—"

"Never mind that! Did you pick my flowers?"

"The little baby next door has got another tooth," announced Mabel positively.

"Mabel, now I want the truth. Did you pick my flowers?"

"Yes, daddy, I did!" sighed Mabel resignedly. "But I thought I would change the subject."

TANLAC A FOE OF RHEUMATISM; PAINS ARE GONE

Bickett Can Use Leg and Arm After Taking Medicine

"For the first time in several years I am now able to use my right leg and arm," said W. W. Bickett, of 215 Maple Avenue, Altoona, Pa.

Mr. Bickett is a well-known tanmaker and was very much handicapped in his work by being unable to use efficiently his right leg and arm, because of their crippled condition and also due to the fact that their use caused him excruciating pain.

"I had been suffering from rheumatism and generally run down system for several years.

"My right side and particularly my right leg was almost disabled at times. Ofren my leg was so bad that I could not stand on it, the pain being so severe.

"I also had very distressing pains in my right arm and shoulder.

"Finally, friends induced me to try Tanlac. I bought a bottle and after I had taken half, the rheumatic pains became less severe and I began to get the use of my right leg and arm. My appetite began to improve and I was not troubled with any more gas. I have now taken two bottles and propose to buy more, as I am now sure that I will be restored to complete health in a short time.

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NORTH CHARLEROI

Miss Pauline Sauerwein of South West is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. A. Fortney.

The Willing Worker Bible class of the North Charleroi Mission Sunday school met and was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welsh of Charleroi Thursday evening. The Sunday school lesson for the following Sunday was taken up after which the business of the class was discussed.

Thomas Cocain and daughter, Valeria are visiting the former's son, Edgar of Cleveland, O.

Miss Grace Phillips was a caller in Donora Thursday evening.

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Sunday Services Charleroi Churches

Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "Two Looks That Determine Destiny." Sr. C. E. at 7. Topic, "Enthusiasm." Leader, Miss Nell Ryland. C. E. convention report at this service. Preaching at 8. Sermon, "The Common-Place Life." Strangers and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Communion services at 11. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30. A hearty invitation is extended to you. A. J. Whipkey, minister.

First Christian.

Fallowfield avenue near Sixth street. Bible school at 9:45. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:50. Subject, "The Swift God." Y. P. S. E. at 6:30. Subject "The Value of Enthusiasm." Leader, J. E. Newcomer. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "A Summer Message." A short summer services during July and August. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30 Strangers to our city and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship with us. You are welcome. Come. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor

Baptist

Bible school at 9:45. Worship and sermon at 11. Topic, "The Next Great Event in the History of Christianity." Young people's meeting at 6:45. Evening worship at 7:45. Topic, "God's Last Invitation." W. G. Carl, minister.

Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11. Subject, "The Test of Faith." Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Christians Way and His End." Public most cordially invited to all services. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

Methodist.

At 10:45 a. m. "A Ruler of Sea and Air." Just one hour of service. At 7:45 "The Victory." Just forty-five minutes of service. Sunday school at 9:30. Epworth league at 6:45. Come out and hearten with us. Dr. Wesley G. Mead, minister.

Episcopal.

St. Mary's church, Lookout avenue and Sixth street. Services for Fifth Sunday after Trinity as follows: School 9:45, morning prayer with sermon at 11. Evening prayer at 7:30. Altar Guild meets Thursday at 7:45. Rev. John Lyons, rector.

PERSONALS

Mrs. T. L. Pollock went to California Saturday to visit over Sunday with relatives.

Rev. Perrin Baker of Belle Vernon was a visitor in Charleroi with friends.

Miss Elizabeth Waddel of Pittsburg returned home Saturday after visiting a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Humphries on Lincoln avenue. She is the organist at the Avalon Presbyterian church where Mr. Humphries is tenor soloist.

The Roscoe-Charleroi Hunting and Fishing club camp has been pitched on the South Fork of Ten Mile Creek. J. H. Underwood, Joe T. S. Cowen. Robt. G. Watson, Amiel Meirs and Edgar Hawkins placed the camp in shape last Saturday. On Sunday, Mrs. J. H. Underwood and children and Mrs. Joe T. S. Cowen arrived at the camp for a couple of weeks sojourn. The youngsters at the camp are Roscoe, Harriet, Mary Josephine, Rebessa and Elien Underwood, Floyd Cowen, Vernon Eagye, Joe Harmony and Curtis Thomas. All are enjoying themselves even if the weather has been a little against camp life.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Carson, daughter Miss Velma and son Paul Carson, Esq., of Youngstown are spending a few days with friends and relatives in Charleroi and vicinity. The trip was made by automobile.

Mrs. Gus Cotton and children are visiting with relatives at Tarentum.

Mrs. Robert Fisher was a Pittsburg visitor Friday.

Mrs. Harry Ransom of Moundsville, W. Va., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clark of Meadow avenue.

A. F. Cook of Washington a venue spent Saturday in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Mary Milliken of Brownsville is visiting at the home of her son, W. H. Milliken of Washington avenue.

DIES UPON EXTRACTION OF TWENTY-THREE TEETH

Rev. C. W. Fowkes, Former West Brownsville Pastor Succumbs in Dentist's Chair at Brownsville

Rev. C. W. Fowkes, former pastor of the Evangelical church of West Brownsville, died at Brownsville shortly after noon in the office of Dr. H. D. Graham a dentist, following the extraction of 23 teeth. Dr. Graham administered gas as usual and the patient never regained consciousness. The cause of his death has not been ascertained. Mr. Fowkes was in his usual health. His daughter, Mrs. Earl Mundell was with him when he died.

Rev. Mr. Fowkes, who was 61 years of age, following the dissolution of the Evangelical church in West Brownsville, removed to Penn Run, Indiana county, where he accepted a charge. He came to Brownsville a week ago to attend the funeral of his grandson, William, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Mundell. Coroner S. H. Baum Friday viewed the body and will hold an inquest next week.

Two sons and three daughters survive: Wilson Fowkes and Jacob Fowkes, both of South Brownsville; Mrs. T. D. Mundell and Mrs. Earl Mundell of Brownsville and Mrs. B. W. Bowers of Fairchance.

ARCHBISHOP TAKES ACTION IN LOCAL CHURCH CONTROVERSY

Charleroi Pastor to be Relieved Following Trouble Over Salary Check With Official Board.

The culminating event in the controversy between Rev. V. Kushinoff and officials of St. John the Baptist Russian Orthodox Baptist church probably will be the removal of Rev. Kushinoff to another pastorate. Information to this effect was sent to Secretary John Tchoryk by Archbishop Evdakim today and the resolution from this dignitary will be read tomorrow to the congregation. The trouble between Rev. Kushinoff and the official board arose from his refusal to hold mass until his salary check was honored as he demanded. The board stated there were not enough funds in the bank to warrant. Just who will be assigned to the Charleroi church is now yet known.

SUPPLY COMMITTEE OF SCHOOL BOARD LETS EQUIPMENT CONTRACT

The supply committee of the Charleroi school board at a meeting Friday evening awarded the contract for equipping the physics laboratory in new high school rooms to E. H. Sheldon and Company of Wisconsin. The contract for equipping the manual training department with a joiner and a grinder was also let. The supply committee consists of Dr. T. M. Faddis, John Campbell and T. R. Eagye.

REV. HENRY WOOD DIES AT HOME IN WASHINGTON

Rev. Henry Woods, 78 years old, a pastor in Presbyterian churches since 1857 and a member of the faculty of Washington and Jefferson College for 40 years, died at his home at Washington Friday from infirmities of age. Rev. Woods was graduated from Washington and Jefferson College in theology in 1857 and took up a charge at Steubenville, O. In 1867 he returned to the college to teach language and later was Latin instructor. His wife died ten years ago. Four children are left. They are, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton of Washington, the widow of the late Rev. W. B. Hamilton; Mrs. Mary Woods of the home; John E. Woods and F. H. Woods.

Slight Wreck of Ice Wagon

Some commotion was caused by a wrecking of an ice wagon on Seventh street Friday afternoon. It upset as the driver was turning the corner.

Argentina.

If the country has the same average potentiality for producing food as land similarly situated in North America or Europe, it would seem that Argentina can support 100,000,000 people easily, as only small parts of it lie outside the temperate zone.

The Point of View.

"The darkest cloud has a silver lining," remarked the optimist.

"But it is a dark cloud, just the same," insisted the pessimist.—Exchange.

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DIE LORELEI CLUB MEETING HELD WITH MRS RAYMER

Members of "Die Lorelei" club held a meeting Friday evening at the home of Mrs. R. C. Raymer on Lockview. Thirteen were present. The evening was spent in fancy work. Toward the conclusion the guests were ushered into the dining room where the table was set. The decorations were of ferns and pink and white sweet peas. An elaborate two course luncheon was served. Adjournment was taken to meet at the annual picnic which will be held in August.

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BOLD CAR THIEVES

Tricks of the Clever Crooks That Steal Automobiles.

DARING IN THEIR METHODS.

One of Their Pet Schemes Is to Disguise Themselves as Repairers and Openly Tow the Car Away—Ordinary Safeguards Are a Joke to Them.

The man who steals an automobile is one of the cleverest mechanicians in the country. He knows every make of car from the steering wheel to the tires, and there is scarcely any precaution taken by the owner of the car to safeguard his property that the automobile thief cannot beat.

Some car owners fondly imagine that when they chain the wheel of their car with a fairly thick steel chain they have made it impossible for any crook to move the auto from its anchorage. The simplicity of this safeguard must cause hilarity among the motorcar crooks, for the ordinary steel chain can be cut in a second with the appliances that the motor thieves carry in their outfit.

But most car owners consider they have made the car immovable by merely locking the switch box. It will interest them to know that the car thieves can beat this precaution very easily. The clever mechanician who makes a business of stealing cars can cross wires so as to cause ignition and move the engine without bothering with the switch box at all. A method that is kindergarten to the car thief is to connect wires from the dry cell battery direct to the ignition coil, thus starting the motor without difficulty.

Some cars have devices by which the gasoline supply can be locked, and this is regarded by some owners as placing a hopeless barrier in the way of the thief who would run off with the standing car. For how can a car be moved when the supply of gasoline is shut off? Nothing easier. The motorcar thief carries with him his own supply of gasoline in a flask. With this gasoline the automobile thief can negotiate a good run with the car by connecting his flask of gasoline direct to the carburetor. Feeding the gasoline to the carburetor through a rubber hose, the automobile thief can send the car sufficiently far to enable him to put the gasoline tank and the car in regular commission and speed where he will to safety and a sale.

But the commonest and therefore the safest trick of the automobile thief requires no expert mechanical knowledge. It simply requires nerve, which these thieves possess to an unusual degree. This trick is the old one of driving up in an auto that looks like a garage repair wagon, hitching a rope to the car that is to be stolen and towing it away. The thieves dress for the part in oil soaked overalls. When they have selected the car to be stolen, picking one that is in a side street and not likely to be under the eye of a policeman who may have been tipped to watch the car, the thieves come up to the scene in their old car, looking like the ordinary crew sent for from the garage to repair a car that is in trouble or isn't working as well as its fastidious owner would wish.

They alight from their own car and make a great pretense of examining the car that they intend to spirit away. They remove the hood and scrutinize the motor. They get out a kit of tools and tinker for awhile with some part of the machinery. If any one should happen to be watching them or looking on from a neighboring window all the men do has the appearance of natural work by honest workmen from the repair shop. Presently the men hold a consultation, pointing to some part of the motor machinery, and apparently come to the conclusion that the car cannot be started with the tools at their command. Then they hitch a rope to the car and tow it away at the end of their own car. Could anything be more simple?

How can you beat such a game as this? Carrying away part of the machinery does not prevent the thieves from towing the car away. One sure way to prevent robbery is to have the car watched. The policeman on that patrol will keep an eye on it if you are only going to make a visit to some office building and coming back in a short time. But if you keep your car in the street the entire day no one can watch it. You are simply taking a chance with the car thieves.

There are other ways of making the path of the motorcar crook as steep and difficult as possible. One motorist believes he has solved the thief problem by having a slot cut in the clutch pedal shaft. Through this he passes a bar which he locks. So far his car has not been stolen. Another way is to remove the rotor. This makes it very difficult for any thief to steal the car, for he would have to carry a number of rotors to be sure of having one that would fit that particular motor. — Philadelphia North American.

Dry and Moist Air.

A cubic foot of dry air weighs more than a cubic foot of moist air at the same temperature and pressure. The addition of vapor to a cubic foot of dry air enlarges the volume of the mixture if the air is free to expand, as in the atmosphere, and as the vapor has only about two-thirds the density of dry air at the same temperature and pressure the density of the mixture is less than that of dry air.

Don't put off thatching till the storm is at hand.—Irish Proverb.

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GLOBES IN NATURE

Why Raindrops and the Planets and Suns Are Round.

THE FORCES OF ATTRACTION.

As a Crowd Gathers In a Circle Around an Object of Interest, So Molecular and Gravitational Impulses In Matter Act Toward a Center.

Falling rain forms into spherical drops for the same reason that the earth has become a globe—namely, because that is the shape in which the internal forces of attraction attain a balance. In the case of a very large and massive body like the earth it is the attraction of gravitation that controls the form, but in that of a small body like a raindrop it is the molecular attraction of the infinitesimal particles.

The intensity of molecular attraction, which is the force that holds the components of bodies together, is far greater than that of the attraction of gravitation, but it is exercised over a comparatively insignificant distance. In each case, however, the resultant of all the attractions between the individual particles is a force directed toward the center of mass.

But by the principle of inertia time is always required for any force or combination of forces to set matter in motion. The larger the volume of matter concerned the longer will be the time needed for the internal forces to group all the particles symmetrically around their common center of mass.

It is upon this principle that the old fashioned shot towers are operated. Molten lead is dropped from a great elevation after passing through a sieve to facilitate its separation into small masses, and during their downward flight these masses are rounded into little spheres by the mutual attraction of their molecules, which group themselves around a common center.

With very large bodies not broken up into small portions the gravitational force plays the principal part in shaping them, because gravitation is effective at great distances and throughout vast masses, while cohesion, or molecular attraction, is extremely limited with regard to the space over which it acts.

Each molecule attracts a little group of other molecules close around it, and these in turn attract their immediate neighbors. Within the space occupied by a raindrop the molecular attraction is the master force and quickly shapes the mass into a sphere.

And just as a spoonful of water thrown from a high tower will descend in the form of one or more round drops owing to the resultant pull of all its molecules toward a common center so the entire ocean if it were flung out into open space would become a gigantic ball of water rounded into that shape by the gravitational attraction acting throughout its whole mass.

It is by no accident that all the planets are spherical. They have taken that shape as inevitably as a loose stone rolls down a steep hill. Their forms are not perfect spheres, because they have been subjected to outside disturbing forces, such as the centrifugal effects of their rotation on their axes and the deformations produced by the attraction of other planets and of the sun. Even the heads of comets are spheroidal, although they are believed to consist of swarms of small bodies like meteors.

This tendency of masses, whose component parts or particles are free to move among one another, to assume a globular outline, is curiously illustrated even by crowds or swarms of sentient beings. Thus a swarm of bees when it gathers close becomes spherical or spheroidal, since that form is best suited to inclose the greatest number of individuals.

A human crowd certainly would take a spherical form if its members were able to choose their positions as freely in up and down as in horizontal space. Being confined to one level, they arrange themselves in a circle, which is the section of a sphere.—Garrett P. Serviss in New York Journal.

Most Original Club In America.

There exists in one of our great western cities a unique secret club—called by the members the Get Out and Get On club. It was organized years ago by ten ambitious men who looked upon themselves as not yet having won success. Membership for twelve years has been limited to fifty. The rules are what make this club different. No member may call himself a success until the club votes him one, and when the club votes any member a success, he is expelled and his place is filled by another. But before a success is expelled a dinner is given in his honor and to welcome the new member. At this dinner the success must read a paper explaining to his fellows how and why he won. These papers are preserved.—American Magazine.

CAUSE OF RHEUMATISM.

Cavities Holding Pus, It Is Claimed, Breed the Dread Ailment.

In the American Magazine is an article on rheumatism by Dr. Arthur R. Reynolds, who says:

"The cause of rheumatism is pus formed and imprisoned in some part of the body. It gets into the circulation and is carried by it to the region affected. These pus places may be in spots more or less closed up, so they are not easily drained. They may be located about the teeth, at the end of the roots of dead or diseased teeth, in the crypts of the tonsils, in some of the sequestered places in the nostrils, in the bony sinuses of the head. They may be in the bladder, the kidney, the gall ducts or other places. The pus producing spot may be as small or smaller than a pea or it may be larger. Its existence is frequently unknown to the patient, especially if it be hidden in soft tissue like the tonsil. It may even exist in the bony socket of a tooth without giving pain.

"Several different organisms produce pus, and any or all may produce rheumatism when transferred to the joints or the heart.

"The physician today seeks for the pus cavity when he meets a patient with rheumatism, and he endeavors to clean it up. Rheumatic pains have been stopped with magical promptness by simply extracting the offending tooth. It is not always easy to find the pus places in the hidden parts of the body. The X ray shadowgraph is essential in locating the trouble. It shows definitely and accurately all trouble about the roots of the teeth, and its use is therefore of the first importance in ferreting out the pus in the deep structures."

Duncan Smoked In Church.

Sir Walter Scott in his "Heart of Midlothian" refers to one Duncan of Knockdunder, an important personage, who smoked during the whole of the sermon from an iron pipe tobacco borrowed from other worshipers. We are told that at the end of the discourse he knocked the ashes out of his pipe, replaced it in his sporran, returned the tobacco pouch to its owner and joined in the prayer with decency and attention.

AMONG THE THEATRES

COYLE—CHARLEROI

William Farnum, who has been heralded as the world's foremost photoplay actor appeared in the leading role of "The Man from Bitter Root" which was the leading attraction at the Coyle theatre on Monday. An unusual drama dealing with a servant girl who suddenly became an heiress was shown Tuesday under the title of, "The Thosand Dollar in the leading part. Harold Lockwood and May Allison were featured in "The Masked Rider," which was shown Wednesday Thursday Fannie Ward enacted the title role of "The Daughter Magdalene." Announcement is being made of "The Serpent" a William Fox production with Theda Bara in the leading role for Monday.

MAJESTIC—CHARLEROI

Special features were numerous at the Majestic Theatre this week. On Monday, Kathlyn Williams was presented in "The Valiants of Virginia." Miss Williams is noted for talent and daring and was at her best in this production. W. S. Hart appeared in "The Primal Lure," which was shown Tuesday to large crowds. Several of the scenes for this picture were taken under water, one being a fight between the star and an Indian. Mollie King was featured in "Fate's Boomerang," on Wednesday. "Tangled Hearts" a thrilling story of the idle rich and a woman with a past was shown Thursday. A number of amusing comedy pictures were also shown. Friday's attraction was "A Child of the Paris Streets," a Triangle production featuring Mae Marsh.

PALACE—CHARLEROI

High-class vaudeville attractions were presented this week at the Palace theatre. The bill the first of the week included acts of a new sort. Prince Kindai appeared as The Prince of Dahomy. This was a novelty offering of an unusual kind. The Four Roses appeared in their dancing act, as "modern disciples of the dancing art, Lillian Calvert presented an unusual offering along comedy lines. The latter part of the week Walters and Walters came to give their up-to-date act in comedy and Hyde and Hart as novelty acrobatic comedians appeared, together with another feature act. Moving pictures were high-class. Among the leaders were "The Golden Cross," "The Spirit of Revenge," "The Undelivered Message, "The Sacrifice" and the Ham and Bud series, "A Bunch of Flivvers."

NEW DAVIS—PITTSBURG

An interesting variety of the world's best vaudeville, consisting of nine international acts, will be presented at the New Davis theatre afternoons and evenings during the week which begins next Monday, July 24. In point of popular interest, importance attaches to the engagement of Eduardo and Elisa Cansino, dancers to his Majesty Alphonse XIII and the royal court of Spain, who are making their American theatrical debut this summer. These young exemplars of Terpsichore, who are Spain's foremost dancers, were brought to this country by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish in 1912. The Three Leightons, a merry trio of men who have a brilliant line of comedy talk, will be seen in a skit called "The Party of the Second Part." They have singing and dancing numbers that are built on comedy lines. The Three Renards will give a sensational aerial performance in which two men and a girl, while suspended by their teeth, perform many startling athletic exploits. Hilderbrand and Boland present a novelty sketch in which there will be some tuneful melodies. A playlet of a conversational turn will introduce George Kelly and Company. The other acts in the bill will include several foreign novelties from the European music halls. A selection of moving pictures completes the program.

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